IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re A	Application of:)	
		:	Examiner: Peng Ke
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		:	Art Unit: 2174
Application No.: 09/848,372)	
		:	Conf. No.: 6793
Filed: May 4, 2001)	
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For:	IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS,)	
	IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD,	:	
	STORAGE MEDIUM, AND)	
	PROGRAM	:	September 21, 2010

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 21, 2010, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows. The claims are listed beginning at page 2, and the Remarks begin at page 16.